DEPARTMENT OF EMERGENCY SERVICES AND PUBLIC PROTECTION

## CONNECTICUT FIRE ACADEMY







## A LETTER FROM THE DIRECTOR OF TRAINING

## Greetings:

The Connecticut Fire Academy exists for the state's Firefighters to develop their skills and expand their knowledge. With the ever increasing speed of technology and its application, or impact, upon the fire service, we all need multiple sources of quidance and information.

That is why we bring you our seminar speakers from throughout the United States. They offer a varying perspective and bring geographic nuances to the forefront. For example, solar panels are just now being considered a significant hazard to New England/east coast firefighting actions. Actually, these devices have been encumbering firefighting operations in the Midwest/west coast for years.

Electric cars, roadside water meter scanners, and hand held computers (smart phones) are examples of a progressive society. How to appropriately use one of those devices is the subject of another seminar. Tracking the location of firefighters has become more possible with these pioneering inventions. Body telemetry for individual firefighters is now available.

Just because we can do something, does not mean that we should. That is the reason for research, differing viewpoints, discussion, debate, and an ultimate determination. Enjoy the technology within our new operating environment. But, as our future leaders, please gain as much education as you can prior to establishing a deep-rooted position.

Have you made a difference today?

Adam D. Piskura, *Director* Connecticut Fire Academy

## WEATHER CANCELLATIONS

For weather cancellation information call the Connecticut Fire Academy Weather Cancellation Hotline updated at 6:30 am 860-627-6363 or 877-528-3473 ext. 450. Cancellation information will also be available via television on WFSB Channel 3, WTNH Channel 8, and WVIT Channel 30 the morning of the class.

CPAT Test Status Hotline 860-627-6363 or 877-528-3473 ext. 415.

# STAFF CONTACT INFORMATION Office Hours are M—F 8:30 a.m. — 4:30 p.m. Main Phone Number (860) 627-6363 In-State Toll-Free 1-877-528-3473 Fax (860) 654-1889

## **Program Hours**

Day programs are from 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. Evening programs are from 6:30 p.m - 10:00 p.m. Please refer to your confirmation for specific times.

## WWW.CT.GOV/CFPC

Please note that some locations, times, and dates are subject to changes without notice. Registered students will be notified if any changes occur.

Connecticut Fire Academy Acceptance Notices and Refund / Cancellation Policy Acceptance notices with directions will be mailed as soon as programs are filled or approximately two weeks prior to the start of all programs. Applicants not accepted in a program will generally be notified within a week of our receiving their application.

Seating is limited for many Connecticut Fire Academy programs. Please notify the Training Registrar promptly in the event of a need to cancel your registration. Not only will your refund be processed in a timely manner, but your seat can be offered to someone on the waiting list. Students canceling at least seven days in advance of a program will receive a full refund. Please note that refunds are processed by the state Comptroller's Office and may take up to one month. CPAT has a unique refund policy on page 23.

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| Bradley Airport Fire Department | Bradley Airport Fire Department               |      | 860-292-2160 or 860-292-2162  |                |
| Class Cancellation              | Weather Notification                          | 450  | updated 6:30 am               |                |
| CPAT Test                       | Status Hotline                                | 415  |                               |                |

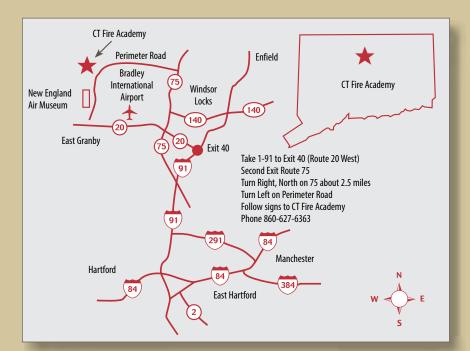
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## DIRECTIONS TO CONNECTICUT FIRE ACADEMY

34 PERIMETER ROAD, WINDSOR LOCKS, CT 06096-1069

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I-91 North or South to exit 40 (Route 20, Bradley Connector). Follow Route 20 West 1.7 miles to the exit for Route 75. Take a right off the exit onto Route 75 North and follow 2.5 miles. Take a left onto Perimeter Road (see sign for the CT Fire Academy and the New England Air Museum). Continue 1.4 miles to the Academy, which will be on your right. Parking is available at the rear of the building.



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## NEW ENGLAND DISASTER TRAINING CENTER •

The NEDTC is a joint collaboration bringing the states top training and response agencies together using state of the art facilities and equipment to provide challenging rescue scenarios for both the basic and advanced disaster response personnel.

Located at Camp Hartell, in Windsor Locks, Connecticut, the NEDTC will offer disaster medical response training, with the ability to work from a mobile field hospital, and search and rescue training on a rubble pile. Advanced trench and train derailment training props will be used to help response personal meet national standards.

Additional information about the NEDTC can be found at www.nedtc.us











Increasingly, students and instructors are bringing laptop computers to the Connecticut Fire Academy (CFA) especially for officer and instructor classes. The Commission on Fire Prevention and Control (CFPC) offers limited wireless hotspot access to the Internet in some areas of the CFA. This public service is currently available in the following locations: dorm rooms, auditorium, multipurpose room, and the classroom wing.

Users alone are responsible for security and maintenance of your equipment. The Academy cannot provide you with computer software, hardware, or technical support to include disks, printers, scanners, etc. CFPC/CFA staff is not permitted to support user connectivity issues or user computer issues of any type.

## LODGING AT THE CONNECTICUT FIRE ACADEMY

Students requiring lodging for a confirmed training program or event at the Connecticut Fire Academy may reserve a room by calling (860) 627-6363 Ext. 421 during normal business hours (8:30 am - 4:30 pm) Monday through Friday. Lodging availability is at the discretion of the agency based upon evening staffing resources. Reservations are generally available on a first-come, first-served basis with a minimum 72 hour advanced reservation. Each Dormitory room is equipped with a private bath; bed linens and towels are provided however guests are welcome to bring their own pillow and linens/sleeping bag to make their stay more comfortable. Free wireless internet is provided throughout the facility and a student lounge with television, commercial refrigerator and microwave is available to all guests. Shared commercial laundry equipment is available for resident use as well. In addition, there is a fully equipped work-out facility open 24-hours.

## **LODGING - SINGLE OCCUPANCY DAILY RATE**

- \*Governmental/Municipal (In-state) \$15.00 Recruit Class (14+ weeks) Attendees \$10.00
- \*Private Business/Industry/Out-of-State \$25.00
- \*Full payment is required at check-in by cash, check or credit card.
- \*A 24 hour notice is required for any lodging cancellations in order to receive a refund, please contact the Training Registrar at Extension 238.

## Guest check-in times are:

- Weekdays anytime before 4:00 p.m. or after 6:00 p.m.
- Weekends as noted upon confirmation of your reservation.

## **CFA MARKETING PRIVACY ADVISORY**

By participating in Connecticut Fire Academy classes and activities (i.e. CPAT, Face piece fit testing, pump operator) you are automatically giving permission for the use of your picture, video recording and/or audio recording to be used in marketing or future training by the Commission on Fire Prevention and Control/Connecticut Fire Academy.

As the State of Connecticut is a nonprofit organization, you will not receive any monetary compensation now or in the future. The State of Connecticut, Commission on Fire Prevention and Control/Connecticut Fire Academy has the right to use these pictures, video and/or audio recordings of the presentations in any form of, publication, marketing, and broadcast media (video, print or electronic) and any other activity that supports a qualified, diverse, inclusive and safety-conscious Fire/EMS workforce.

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